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## PATENT APPLICATION

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In Re Application Of

Isobe et al.

Serial No.: 10/003,312

Filed: 12/06/2001

For: Synchronizing Circuit for Generating a  
Signal Synchronizing with a Clock  
Signal

Group A.U.: 2816

Examiner: An T. Luu

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AMENDMENTThe Honorable Assistant Commissioner  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

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IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the application as follows:

- a. [01] This application is a divisional of U.S. patent application serial no. 09/505,204, filed February 16, 2000, which issued on March 19, 2002 as U.S. Patent No. 6,359,480, which is based upon and claims the benefit of priority from the prior Japanese Patent Application No. 11-038574, filed February 17, 1999, the entire contents of which are incorporated herein by reference.

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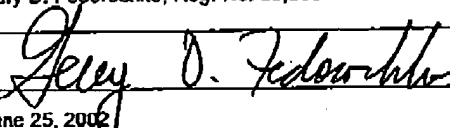
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